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In re Patent Application of:  
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MAINTAINING AND DISTRIBUTING  
PERSONAL SECURITY DEVICES

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the final Office Action dated July 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.